



Statewide Term Contract 515B – Grounds Maintenance Equipment

Bid Number	201500646
Contract Name	Grounds Maintenance Equipment
Effective Dates	September 1, 2015 to September 27, 2022
Special Notes	<p>Users of this contract may contact Multiple Vendors for Best Value including but not limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Pricing2. Delivery3. Warranty4. Service Locations5. Available Options/Features/Attachments6. Other issues important to your organization
Awarded Vendor(s), Contacts and Manufacturer's Line Represented	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Ariens Company– (920) 756-4665 Voice/Fax Tyler Walimaa Manufacturers – Ariens & Gravely2. Blade Equipment – (800) 736-5060 or (919) 989-6660 – (919) 989-6456 Fax Daniel Deriscavage Manufacturers – Ventrac3. CNH America LLC – (717) 327-6489 Chad Bucher Manufacturers – New Holland4. Deere & Company – (800) 358-5010 or (919) 804-2285 – (919) 804-2816 Fax Andy Roman Manufacturers – John Deere5. Husqvarna Group USA – (800) 487-5951 or (980) 207-8549 – (919) 869-2566 Jake Breig Manufacturers – Husqvarna6. Hustler Turf Equipment – (620) 327-4911 – (630) 323-5118 Fax Brian O'Donnell Manufacturers – Hustler Turf7. James River Equipment Carolina LLC (800) 632-0376 or (336) 668-2762 – (336) 668-3714 Fax Barry Neel Manufacturers – Diamond Mowers8. JFS Power Equipment, Inc. – (252) 235-2311 – (252) 235-9826 Fax Leigh Ann Thorne Manufacturers – Snapper Pro9. Moridge Manufacturing, Inc. – (620) 345-8621 – (316) 462-0593 Fax Brent Dobson Manufacturers – Grasshopper

10. **Quality Equipment LLC** – (919) 346-5410 – (919) 346-5418 Fax
[Larry Baker](#)
Manufacturers – Stihl
11. **Quality Mower & Saw Equip., Inc.**
(800) 422-0419 or (919) 596-9468 – (919) 596-1671 Fax
[Hal Pate](#)
Manufacturers – Exmark, Husqvarna, Polaris, & Ryan
12. **Smith Turf & Irrigation, LLC**
(800) 932-8676 or (704) 909-3454 – (704) 398-1428 Fax
[Jay Floyd](#)
Manufacturers – Toro
13. **Tri-State Pump & Controls Inc.**
(800) 882-5762 or (864) 843-8100 – (864) 843-6373 Fax
[Tripp Cobb](#)
Manufacturers – SmithCo & TurfCo
14. **Turf Equipment & Supply, Co.** – (866) 641-8686 – (828) 883-2426 Fax
[Chrissy Hale](#)
Manufacturers – Toro

Contract Covers

The following categories include commercial/economy equipment lines, accessories, feature, and options based off a percentage off Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price plus volume discounts off multiple units.

1. **Walk Behind Products/Equipment**
Non-Riding Type, Walk Behind, Self-Propelled Walk Behind, Push Type Brush Cutter, Hydro Walk Behind Mowers, Front & Rear Tire Tillers, Gang Pull Type, Reel, and Flail Type
2. **Mowers & Lawn/Garden Tractors**
Lawn Tractors, Lawn & Garden Tractors, Commercial Walk-Behind Mowers, Zero-Turn Radius Mowers, and Front Mowers, Riding Type with Seat, Heavy Duty, Rotary Type Riding Mowers, Front Mounted Riding Type, Zero Turn Radius Type, Stander Type, 3 Wheel Rider Type, All Terrain, Slope Mowers, Gang Mowers
3. **Hand Held Equipment**
Trimmers, Brush Cutters, Hedge Trimmers, Edgers, Pole Saws, Power Blowers (Hand Held and Back Pack Types), Earth Auger Drills, Chain Saws
4. **Hand Held Equipment (Other)**
Walk Behind & Pull Type Aerators, Pluggers, Seeders, Turf Rollers, Spreaders, Etc.
5. **Tractors**
Compact Utility Tractors, Utility Tractors and Agricultural Tractors
6. **Utility Vehicles**
Utility Vehicles (UTVs), All-Terrain Vehicles (ATV) i.e. Gators, Rangers, etc.
7. **Golf & Turf Equipment**
Greens Mowers, Fairway Mowers, Rough, Trim & Surrounds Mowers, Bunker Rakes, Specialty Equipment

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Combines & Header Equipment 9. Cotton Pickers & Strippers 10. Hay & Forage Equipment Round and Square Balers, Mower-Conditioners, Disc Mowers 11. Windrowers Auger Platforms, Rotary Platforms, Drapers, Self-Propelled Forage Harvesters, Pull Type Forage Harvesters, Flail Chopper 12. Tillage Chisel Plows, Disks, Vertical Tillage, Field Cultivators, Seedbed Finishers, Moldboard Plows, Mulch Finishers, Mulch Tiller, Rippers, Nutrient Application 13. Planting & Seeding Planters, Box Drills, Air Seeding Carts and Tools 14. Sprayers 15. Ag Management Solutions GPS Products for Tractor and Implement Guidance 16. Other All other grounds maintenance equipment that does fall into categories 1-15.
Mandatory Contract	This is a mandatory Statewide Term Contract for state agencies, departments, institutions, universities and community colleges - unless exempted by North Carolina General Statute. Additionally, non-mandatory entities including schools and local governments that are allowed by general statute may use this contract.
Minimum Order	One unit.
Service, Warranty, Discount/Volume Discounts & Shipping/Delivery Information	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vendor Information, Service, Warranty, & Discount/Volume Discounts <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Access the Vendor Information, Service, Warranty, & Discount/Volume Discounts Link to obtain information regarding these subjects. b. Contact Vendor concerning specific equipment warranty information c. For Volume Discount Items; entities will create Non-Catalog orders. 2. Shipping/Delivery Information <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Access the link in 1a above to determine the number of expected delivery days. b. FOB Destination c. A twenty-four-hour prior delivery notice shall be provided by the Vendor.
Fire Extinguishers, Back-Up Alarms & Strobe Lights	<p>Fire Extinguishers, back-up alarms & strobe lights are required by all state agencies, community colleges, universities and any additional user of the grounds maintenance equipment contract.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Category 2, Category 7: REQUIRED for ride-type only. Lever steer units are exempted from backup alarm requirement 2. Category 5, Category 6, Category 8: REQUIRED 3. Category 10-15: NOT REQUIRED UNLESS STANDARD EQUIPMENT 4. Category 16: REQUIRED for ride-type only

Quality Assurance Inspections	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Inspections can be requested from any state entity including all state agencies, community colleges, universities and local government units. 2. Inspections are required for any piece of equipment.
Loaded into E-Procurement	Yes. Line item catalogs are loaded in E-Procurement .
E-Procurement Help Desk	(888) 211-7440
Contract Administrator	Frank Slifer – (984) 236-0233
Contract Addenda	9/10/2015: Point of Contact Changes for Alamo Group (TX) Inc. & Terrain King
	10/16/2015: Addition of Ryan Line (Husqvarna Turf Products No Longer Available – Categories 3-4)
	2/22/2017: Husqvarna Contact Update, John Deere Contact Update & Contract Administrator Change
	3/27/2017: James River Equipment Carolina Catalog Update
	4/3/2017: Deere & Company Catalog Update
	4/11/2017: Turf Equipment & Supply Co. Catalog Update
	4/18/2017: Point of Contact Changes for CNH America
	4/19/2017: CNH America Dealer Updates & Catalog Update
	4/26/2017: Blade Equipment, Inc. Catalog Update
	8/16/2017: Contract Administrator Change to David O'Neal.
	09/20/2017: John Deere Pricing Catalog updated
	01/23/2018: John Deere Pricing Catalog updated
	05/22/2018: Husqvarna Distributor List updated
	08/28/2018: Contract renewal option exercised: Contract Extended until 08/31/2019
	11/21/2018: CNH contact information updated
	8/13/2019: Contract renewal option exercised: Contract Extended until 8/31/2020
	8/13/2019: Husqvarna contact information updated Quality Equipment contact information updated
	1/08/2020: Contract Administrator Change to Jim Blue. Corrected spelling of Jake Breig last name.
	8/28/2020: Contract extended to 12/31/2020. Contact for Deere & Company changed to Andy Roman.
	12/21/2020: Contract Administrator changed to Frank Slifer. Contract end date changed to 12/31/2021.

	1/19/2021:	Ariens contact info for Tyler Walimaa revised and updated.
	6/7/2021:	Update Contract Administrator Telephone Number to (984)236-0233.
	8/12/2021:	Contract 515B has been converted to UNSPSC Code #2210B and shall be referenced on all future correspondences.
	12/17/2021:	Contract has been extended until March 31, 2022.
	3/24/2022:	Contract extended to 9/27/2022. Alamo Group and Terrain King removed from contract at their request. JFS Equipment added back to existing contract.
	6/10/2022:	Bobcat and Terrain King removed from contract at their request.
	6/16/2022:	CNH Americas contact changed to Chad Bucher (717) 327-6489 chad.bucher@newholland.com